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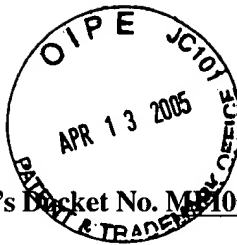
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1. ☒ Preliminary Statements
2. ☒ Forms PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B (substitute for Form PTO-1449) (3 pages)
3. ☒ Copies of Listed Information Items Accompanying This Statement (A1 and C1-C13)
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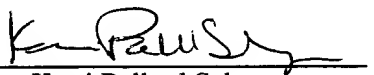
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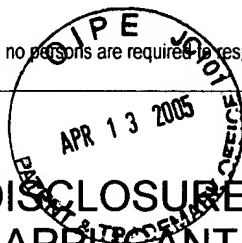
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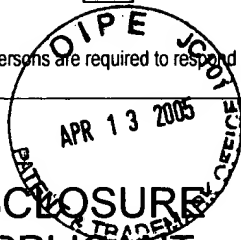


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